

## Message Text

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ACTION OC-06

INFO OCT-01 CCO-00 ISO-00 OPR-02 /009 W  
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R 302325Z OCT 73  
FM AMEMBASSY SAN JOSE  
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 5424  
INFO AMEMBASSY PANAMA  
AMEMBASSY CARACAS

C O N F I D E N T I A L SAN JOSE 3848

DEPT FOR RCO/ARA FROM CRO

E.O. 11652: GDS  
TAGS: ACOM  
SUBJECT: E&E HF RADIO CAPABILITY

REF: SAN JOSE A-84, MAY 15, 1973 (NOTAL)

1. OVER PAST SEVERAL WEEKS THE POST HAS CONDUCTED, WITH VERY POOR RESULTS, RADIO TESTS ON AN INFORMAL BASIS WITH CARACAS.
2. KWM-2A SHORTS OUT BETWEEN PM-2 WHEN 30L-1 LINEAR CONNECTED. CAN ONLY SURMISE (AS HAS CEO-C SIMS DURING RECENT VISIT) THAT THE 30L-1 IS DEFECTIVE AND SHOULD BE SENT TO OC FOR MAINTENANCE.
3. TO COMPOUND PROBLEM, THE TRAP DIPOLE ANTENNA LOCATED ON CHANCERY ROOF, IS ORIENTED WRONG ELECTRICALLY (NORTHEAST-SOUTHWEST) FOR THE DESIRED CONTACTS WITH EITHER CARACAS OR PANAMA.
4. AS THE EMBASSY IS STILL WITHOUT AN EFFECTIVE HF E&E VOICE RADIO CAPABILITY, WOULD APPRECIATE:  
A) KNOWING STATUS OF THE E&E NET BETWEEN CARACAS/ SAN JOSE/PANAMA; AND B) OBTAINING PERMISSION TO REORIENT ANTENNA ON AN EAST/WEST ELECTRICAL PATTERN.

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5. THE 30L-1 LINAR AMPLIFIER IS BEING POUCHED TO

THE DEPARTMENT FOR APPROPRIATE MAINTENANCE.  
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